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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Kazuo MIYAGUCHI et al.

Appln. No.: 10/038,660 ✓

Group Art Unit: 3681

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Examiner: T. Lewis

For: BALL SCREW DEVICE AND LINEAR MOTION DEVICE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 7,
2003, please amend the above-identified patent application
as indicated below.

IN THE CLAIMS:

- 1 1. (Thrice Amended) A linear motion device
- 2 comprising:
- 3 an outer member;
- 4 an inner member facing said outer member via a gap;
- 5 a multiplicity of balls disposed between said outer
- 6 member and said inner member; and
- 7 a plurality of spacers;

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